

2006-07 WINTER BASKETBALL

Team Registration Information



Welcome to the 2006-07 winter basketball season. General information league information is listed below. If you have any additional questions contact the Athletics office at 682-5409.

REGISTRATION PROCEDURE

- ☐ Fill out your team roster. Teams must have a minimum of 8 players on their roster. Official team rosters must be submitted at the time of registration. Please check to make sure that the roster is completely filled-out, otherwise it will not be accepted.
****ALL players MUST sign the team roster.**
- ☐ Fill out the League Classification sheet. The Athletics staff will review the classification sheets and place the teams into appropriate leagues.
- ☐ Bring your roster, classification sheet and total league fee to the Athletics Office, 2700 Hilyard Street (Amazon Community Center) during the registration dates.

REGISTRATION DATES

Returning teams:	Tuesday & Wednesday	Oct. 31 – Nov. 1	9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
New teams:	Thursday & Friday	November 2-3	9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Deadline:	Friday	November 3	6:00 p.m.

All registrations after Wednesday are on a first-come, first-served basis provided there are openings available.

Is your team a returning team? If you have four or more players from a team that played last winter (Winter 2005-06) then you are considered a returning team. If a team splits in two, contact Janet or Dave for clarification on which team will be considered the returning team.

Returning teams that register on Tuesday or Wednesday, Oct. 31-Nov. 1 are guaranteed a spot in the program as long as the same facilities are available as the previous winter season.

Teams misrepresenting themselves as returning teams will receive last priority after Thursday's registration. Returning teams registering after Wednesday do not have priority over new teams.

LEAGUES AND FEES

Entry Fee: \$570.00 per team

The fee must be paid at the time of registration. Make checks payable to: City of Eugene.

Fees are based on six team leagues playing a double round-robin of 10 games. Fees cover costs for officials, scorers, gym supervisors, awards, printing, postage, equipment and administrative costs necessary to operate the program.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Manager's Meeting: A mandatory manager's meeting will be held Tuesday, November 29 at 6:00 PM at Amazon Community Center (2700 Hilyard St.). Rules and regulations will be discussed and schedules will be distributed. One team representative must attend.

****The women's manager's meeting** will be Monday, November 28 at 6:00 PM at Amazon Community Center.

Start Dates: League play will begin Sunday, December 3 (January 4 for the Thursday C League) and continue through the third week in March. No games will be played December 17-January 1 (winter vacation); January 15 (Martin Luther King Jr. Day); February 4 (Super Bowl Sunday); or February 19 (President's Day).

Game Days: Final determination for game days, locations and times will not be made until registration concludes. Games will be played in area middle schools. Game times vary; evenings on weekdays, late afternoons and evenings on Sundays. Tentative league placements are:

<u>League(s)</u>	<u>Day</u>
Women's B	Sunday
Men's A	Sunday
Men's B	Sunday
Men's C	Sunday, Monday, Thursday
Men's D	Monday, Wednesday
Men's 40+	Wednesday

League Placement Policy: The Athletics staff has full authority to take whatever measure necessary to create balance among all the leagues in order to involve as many teams as possible in the program. The primary goal is to create leagues that are evenly balanced and enjoyable. The following guidelines are used to place teams into leagues:

- 1st priority: Returning teams that wish to get into the same league (night) as last year, provided there are the same number of teams in the league and provided they were competitive in that league. Teams that finished at or near the top of their league last year may be required to move to a higher league and those that finish at or near the bottom of their league may be required to move to a lower league.
- 2nd priority: Returning teams wishing to change leagues.
- 3rd priority: New teams.

League Definitions: The following guidelines have been established to help teams select the league most appropriate for their skills and abilities.

Men's A League – The top City League teams. Players are skilled and most have played competitively in high school and/or college.

Men's B League – A slight notch below A League. Players are skilled and most have played competitively in high school and/or college. League offers a mix of young and old.

Men's C League – Most players are of average ability; however, the team may have some above-average and below-average players. Company and neighborhood teams fit well in C league.

Men's D League – Purely recreational basketball. Players have little experience in organized league play and/or have lost several steps from their glory days. Many are company and neighborhood teams.

Men's 40+ League – All players must be 40 years of age or older by 12/31/06. For players who want to play in an organized league but find it harder to keep up with the younger guys.

Women's B League – Most players are of average ability; however, the team may have some above-average and below-average players.

Team Fee Refund: No team fees will be refunded after registration. No money will be refunded for any player or team expelled from the league.

Age and Team Requirements: Players must be 18 years old. To be eligible for the Men's 40+ League, all players must be 40 years of age or older by 12/31/06. **A player can be registered with only one team in the City of Eugene basketball program** (exception: players may play on one regular league Men's team and on one Men's 40+ team).

Player Add/Drop: Players may be added and dropped throughout the season. Add/Drop forms must be submitted to staff at the Athletics office during regular business hours or to the on-site gym supervisor before a new player is eligible.

If a team is in need of players, a list is kept at the Athletics office of basketball players looking to join a team. Managers can stop by the office for a copy of the list or call to have it faxed.

Game Ball: Home teams must provide the game ball.

Team Uniforms: Teams must have jerseys of the same color for all players by the FIRST league game. Jerseys must be PERMANENTLY numbered on either the front or back.

Rules: Leagues will abide by the 2006-07 Federation Basketball Rules and the City of Eugene Rule Supplement.

HAVE A GREAT SEASON!